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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An image input device can pick up images of a plurality of subjects by switching the image pickup direction. The device is provided with an image pickup device for outputting an image signal corresponding to a picked-up image of a subject, an image pickup direction switching device for switching an image pickup direction of the image pickup device, a first detector for detecting the angle of the image pickup direction, and a memory for storing the image signal according to the detected angle.